Otay Ranch POM Special PMT Meeting

March 17, 2009



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Agenda

- □ Call to order
- □ Public comment on item not related to the agenda
- □ Finance
- □ Next PMT Meeting
- □ Adjournment

Policy Committee's Direction

- □ Direct POM staff to prepare a scope of work for a Preserve Biologist in coordination with the Working Group;
- □ Direct POM staff to present the scope of work to the PMT for consideration at a Special PMT meeting;
- □ Delegate authority to the PMT to review and approve the proposed funding and scope of work for a Preserve Biologist, as well as, approve the reallocation of the potential remaining FY08/09 rollover funds. The PMT shall further direct POM staff to move forward with the agreed upon PMT recommendation

III.A. SOW for Preserve Biologist

- □ Working Group meeting to discuss SOW held 02/18
- □ Written comments on Draft SOW received from:
 - Wildlife Agencies
 - Otay Ranch Company
- □ Revised Draft SOW posted on County Otay Ranch Preserve website on 03/10

III.A. SOW for Preserve Biologist (cont.)

- □ Independent biologist or consulting firm
- □ Scope of Services
 - On-going Services
 - Biological Surveys & On-Going Biological Monitoring
 - Adaptive Management
 - Reporting
 - Other Services

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III.A. SOW for Preserve Biologist (cont.)

- □ SOW is for an as-needed contract
- ☐ Costs of services will be determined per Task Order
- □ Next Steps for SOW
 - Advertise RFSQ
 - Interview qualified applicants
 - Select Preserve Steward/Biologist and execute contract by the end of the FY

III.A. SOW for Preserve Biologist (cont.)

□ POM staff recommendation:

Approve the scope of work for a Preserve Steward/Biologist and direct staff to initiate the next steps needed to execute the contract.

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III.B. Potential Remaining FY08/09 Rollover Funds

- □ Potential FY08/09 rollover funds......\$340,000:
 - Cost for spring surveys......**\$ 89,200***

*Approved by PMT & PC

- □ Surveying of an additional 286 acres of suitable CAGN habitat (\$10k)
- □ Spring floral survey (\$15k)
- □ Quino survey (\$56k)
- □ Two additional Herp survey sessions (\$8,200)

III.B. Potential Remaining FY08/09 Rollover Funds

□ POM staff recommendation:

Approve up to \$250,800 of potential FY08-09 rollover funds for the Preserve Steward/Biologist contract including implementation of Preserve management & monitoring tasks.

IV. Next PMT Meeting

□ TBD

□ 2009 PMT and Policy Committee meetings are in the process of being scheduled